

FOREIGN NATIONS ASK MEXICO TO RECEDE

CONGRESS AUTHORIZES WILSON TO SEND GUARD ACROSS RIO GRANDE

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The house of representatives today assumed the responsibility for the ordering of the national guard into Mexico. Amid scenes of patriotic excitement the House unanimously authorized President Wilson to draft the 100,000 National guardsmen called to the colors into the Federal services, "either within or without the territorial limits of the United States."

The resolution provided:

"That in the opinion of Congress an emergency now exists which demands the use of troops in addition to the regular army."

"That the president is authorized to draft any or all of the militia of the

GEN. PERSHING REPORTS MEXICANS BEGAN BATTLE

WASHINGTON, June 23.—The war department this afternoon made public

BRITISH BLAME GERMANY FOR MEXICAN CRISIS

LONDON, June 23.—Editorial comment by the British newspapers on the Mexican situation is almost unanimous in holding the German government responsible for the present difficulties between the United States and Mexico.

12-6 MEMBERS URGED TO OBTAIN PHONE TICKETS

Members of the 12-6 club and their guests are asked to call at the German-American bank to obtain tickets for the trans-continental telephone demonstration from Charles W. Jordan. The demonstration will be held June 27. The committee urges members to obtain tickets at once so that arrangements can be made.

COLORED MAN KILLS OFFICER

INDIANAPOLIS, June 23.—Police Lieutenant James Hagarty was shot and killed today by a negro fugitive who took refuge in Eagle creek bottoms and defied a corps of police to take him. Shortly before, the negro, caught while attempting to rob a house, probably fatally wounded Patrolman A. W. Hollingsworth by beating him with an iron pipe. The negro was captured finally when the policemen closed in on him. He gave his name as James Dawd.

336 RUSSIANS DROWN

PETROGRAD, June 23.—Three hundred and thirty-six persons perished when the Russian steamer Mercury was sunk by a mine in the Black sea, off Odessa, according to latest advices received by the admiralty today.

JOHN LANTZ FAVORED.

The latest reports from Kokomo say that the sentiment for next year's president of the National Association of Stationary Engineers is strong for John Lantz, Richmond.

Weather Forecast

United States Report—Probably showers and thunderstorms tonight and Saturday.

Yesterday.	82
Noon	Temperature.
Maximum	72
Minimum	48

Local Forecast—Possibly thunderstorms tonight or Saturday.

General Conditions—The Western storm is slowly moving eastward and is expected to reach here before Saturday night. Hot wave continues over the southwest. Temperature of one hundred degrees in Amarillo, Texas. Temperature of ninety degrees as far as Kansas. Cold wave in the Rocky Mountain states. Thirty degrees above zero at Winnemucca, Nevada. Heavy rains and cold in the north. Snow yesterday in Yellowstone Park, Wyoming.

W. E. MOORE, Weather Forecaster.

Good-By Daddy

Sergeant James Swartz, Co. I, Seventh Infantry, I. N. G., parting with his two children, Robert and Rose, when the call came that may take him across the border.



MEXICO APPEALS TO LATIN-AMERICA INDIA GOES TO TEXAS FOR HELP AGAINST UNITED STATES IN TEN DAYS

LIMA, Peru, June 23.—The Mexican government has appealed to all the nations of Central and South America for their support in the conflict with the United States which it declares inevitable.

The Peruvian foreign office today received a note from the Mexican ministers of foreign relations in which he asserts that the methods of the Americans have made it impossible to avoid a conflict and points out that it is necessary to stop the aggression of the United States.

NO PATRIOTISM IN CITY SAYS ARMY OFFICER

"Richmond is not doing her share in the producing of recruits at this time of danger," said Lieutenant Coppock when he inspected the local recruiting station this afternoon.

"There seems to be a woeful lack of patriotism here. No flags are to be seen on the streets and there have been no demonstrations of any kind. The efforts of Mr. Comstock, however, are to be complimented and it gives assurance that there are at least a few citizens here who can be relied upon by the army if the worse comes."

"This is the only town in my district which has failed to produce results. In other towns, the recruits are given large public send-offs and young men are being encouraged in every way to join the ranks."

"Richmond alone seems willing to let the other people do the fighting."

COLLECTS REVENUE

W. E. Rogers, deputy United States revenue collector, will be in Richmond next Monday and Tuesday to make revenue collections. He will make Engelbert's cigar store, North Eighth street, his headquarters.

SURVIVORS OF CARRIZAL BATTLE ARE WIPED OUT; PLAN TO ATTACK JAUZEL

EL PASO, Tex., June 23.—All that was left of Captain Boyd's gallant band—the courageous colored troopers of the Tenth cavalry, who fought their way out of the trap at Carrizal—have been wiped out in the great hills between Ojo Berencos and San Luis.

This alarming report reached the American officers at Ft. Bliss today, shortly after the receipt of Pershing's first official version of the Carrizal battle.

At the same time information was received here which is said to make an absolute certainty that the American troops will move on Juarez, perhaps within twenty-four hours.

TRAIN HITS AUTO

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., June 23. Iva Markle, 24, is dead, and Perry Stemble, 45, is suffering serious injuries today as a result of a collision of the automobile in which they were riding, with a Big Four train, near Waynetown. Stemble will recover, it is said.

U. S. TAKES NO CHANCE; WAR PREPARATIONS RAPIDLY GO AHEAD

MEXICO CITY, June 23.—Two foreign governments have suggested to Chief Executive Carranza that he accept mediation to prevent war between the United States and Mexico. Their proposal has received earnest consideration by Carranza and his cabinet, but no decision has been reached.

European governments as well as those of Central and South America, are bringing every possible influence to bear upon the de facto government to prevent an outbreak of hostilities.

According to semi-official information the two countries which have proffered mediation are Costa Rica and Salvador.

Gen. Funston contends that the battle of Carrizal was precipitated by Mexican treachery but will await the official report from Gen. Pershing before taking any action. In the meantime, war preparations are proceeding rapidly at San Antonio.

Dallas, Battery A, Texas Field artillery entrained today for Brownsville. This corps will be assigned to a position on the border under Gen. Parker.

OFFENSIVE MOVEMENT OF GERMANS DIRECTED AT CHAMPAGNE LINES

PARIS, June 23.—A powerful offensive movement has been launched by the Germans in Champagne, and three strong infantry attacks were delivered last night on a 1,200 yard front at Maison de Champagne and Mont Tatu. But while the Germans were attacking in Champagne they were launching another series of furious assaults on the Verdun front. Two attacks with grenades were delivered against the French position at Hill No. 304, on the left bank of the Meuse river.

CENTERVILLE MARSHAL CHARGES WOMAN TRIES TO KILL HIM WITH BIG REVOLVER

George Moore, marshal at Centerville, came to Richmond today to complain to Prosecutor Reller that Mrs. James Collins, a resident of Centerville, was a menace to the peace and dignity of the community. Marshal Moore informed Prosecutor Reller that Mrs. Collins deliberately attempted to kill him. He said the woman pointed a revolver at his head and pulled the trigger three times and appeared to be greatly provoked because the cartridges failed to explode.

"I've been having a lot of trouble with this Mrs. Collins, who came to Centerville from Kentucky, because her boys won't behave," Moore said. "Today while I was mowing weeds on the street with a scythe she came up to me and wanted to know why I run her boys off the street. I told her I did so because her boys had been throwing rocks right where I was sweeping my scythe. Then she called me a liar and pulled a gun on me."

Pulls Trigger of Gun.

"I says to her to go ahead and shoot if she dast, and I also told her that if she wasn't a woman I would use my mace on her. Then she pulled the trigger of her gun three times, but thank gravity, the cartridges didn't explode. That made her pretty mad and she walked away."

Moore complained that ever since the Collins family took up residence in Centerville he has had trouble. He claims Collins and his wife have frequent misunderstandings and that the boys are regular Katzenjammers, throwing stones through windows, raiding milk jars for tickets and committing other misdemeanors.

CARRIZAL SURVIVORS EXPLAIN TREACHERY OF MEXICAN GENERAL

EL PASO, Tex., June 23.—Gen. Pershing's first report on the Carrizal battle was based on the information brought him by four troopers who were at the Carrizal fight. Here is the story told by their spokesman:

"We had been marching since early Wednesday morning when we reached the neighborhood of Carrizal. Captain Charles T. Boyd was riding ahead of the column. Just behind him was Captain Lewis S. Morey. Lieut. Henry R. Adair was further back with the column."

"From our position we could see some Mexican soldiers in the village. Captain Boyd sent a messenger to ask permission to enter the town. General Gomez himself rode out to meet Captain Boyd. We were just starting forward when we noticed Mexican troops deploying to the right and left."

"Captain Boyd noticed their movement. I saw him motion to the Mexicans and make some remark about it to Gomez. Gomez wheeled his mount around and signalled with his hands. Then he made a dash for his own line."

"At the same time a couple of machine guns, one at each end of the Mexican line, opened up on us. We were caught in our saddles in easy range and we made good targets. I saw Captain Boyd fall. A moment later Captain Morey was wounded in the shoulder. Gen. Gomez was shot. Lieut. Adair gave us the order to dismount. When the horses got away we were marooned. We fought back and prevented the Mexicans from advancing. We recovered four horses and then the four of us were sent here to report. We left the rest of the troops in the hills."

"An automobile license plate, 'Indiana, 20,054,' lost from some machine and found at North Eighth and E streets last evening, can be secured by the owner at police headquarters."

FIND LICENSE PLATE